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1. In the future, people _____ from home via the internet and only go to work once a week.
 - a) will work
 - b) will working
 - c) will have worked
 - d) are working

 2. _____ meeting your friends after work tonight?
 - a) Will you
 - b) Are you going to
 - c) Are you
 - d) all of the above

 3. The train _____ at ten o'clock tomorrow morning.
 - a) arrives
 - b) will arrive
 - c) is arriving
 - d) all of the above

 4. This time tomorrow, _____ on the beach in the Seychelles.
 - a) she lie
 - b) she'll be lying
 - c) she'll lain
 - d) none of the above

 5. I won't _____ come to your party this weekend as my parents are visiting.
 - a) can
 - b) be able to
 - c) be can
 - d) none of the above

 6. By the end of the week, _____ the contract with the film company. Then we can start looking for actors to star in the film.
 - a) we'll have signed
 - b) we'll signing
 - c) we'll sign
 - d) we'll have signing
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ANSWERS:

1. In the future, people _____ from home via the internet and only go to work once a week.

a) **will work** – This is the correct answer. We use 'will + infinitive' for general predictions about the future.

b) will working – After 'will', we don't use 'verb + ing'.

c) will have worked – We use 'will have + past participle' to show that something will be finished at some point in the future.

d) are working – We don't use present continuous to make general predictions about the future.

2. _____ meeting your friends after work tonight?

a) Will you – You can't put an '-ing' form after 'will'.

b) Are you going to – You can't put an '-ing' form after 'going to'.

c) **Are you** – This is the correct answer. 'Are you meeting' is the present continuous which we can use for arrangements in the future.

d) all of the above – Only one of the options is correct.

3. The train _____ at ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

a) arrives – We can use present simple for timetabled events in the future e.g. trains, planes, sports matches. This is correct but there are other correct options.

b) will arrive – We can use 'will + infinitive' as this is a prediction about the train time. This is correct but there are other correct options.

c) is arriving – We can use present continuous for future events when we are sure they will happen. This is correct but there are other correct options.

d) **all of the above** – This is the correct answer. We can use all these options to talk about certain future events.

4. This time tomorrow, _____ on the beach in the Seychelles.

a) she lie – This isn't a correct future form. Try again.

b) she'll be lying – This is the correct answer. We use future continuous for incomplete actions in the future. Here, the lying won't be completed by this time tomorrow.

c) she'll lain – This isn't a correct future form. Try again.

d) none of the above – One of the options is correct.

5. I won't _____ come to your party this weekend as my parents are visiting.

a) can – You need an infinitive form of a verb after 'will/won't'. There is no infinitive of 'can' so we use another construction instead.

b) be able to – This is the correct answer. 'Be able to' is what we use instead of 'can' if we need an infinitive form.

c) be can – 'Be can' is not grammatically correct in English.

d) none of the above – One of the options is correct.

6. By the end of the week, _____ the contract with the film company. Then we can start looking for actors to star in the film.

a) we'll have signed – This is the correct answer. We often use future perfect with sentences including 'by' e.g. by the time, by tomorrow etc. It shows an event that will be complete at a specified point in the future.

b) we'll signing – This isn't a correct future form. Try again.

c) we'll sign – When we begin sentences with 'by' there is another future form that we use to show an action that will be complete at a specified point in the future.

d) we'll have signing – 'Will + have + -ing' doesn't exist in English.

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